

**U.S. District Court  
Southern District of New York (Foley Square)  
CIVIL DOCKET FOR CASE #: 1:19-cv-00693-LTS-JLC**

The New York Times Company et al v. Department of  
Education

Assigned to: Judge Laura Taylor Swain  
Referred to: Magistrate Judge James L. Cott  
Cause: 05:552 Freedom of Information Act

Date Filed: 01/24/2019

Jury Demand: None

Nature of Suit: 895 Freedom of  
Information Act

Jurisdiction: U.S. Government Defendant

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Date Filed	#	Docket Text
01/24/2019	<u>1</u>	COMPLAINT against Department of Education. (Filing Fee \$ 400.00, Receipt Number ANYSDC-16235618) Document filed by The New York Times Company, Erica Green.(McCraw, David) (Entered: 01/24/2019)
01/24/2019	<u>2</u>	CIVIL COVER SHEET filed. (McCraw, David) (Entered: 01/24/2019)
01/24/2019	<u>3</u>	RULE 7.1 CORPORATE DISCLOSURE STATEMENT. Identifying Other Affiliate Blackrock, Inc. for The New York Times Company. Document filed by The New York Times Company.(McCraw, David) (Entered: 01/24/2019)
01/24/2019	<u>4</u>	REQUEST FOR ISSUANCE OF SUMMONS as to Department of Education, re: <u>1</u> Complaint. Document filed by Erica Green, The New York Times Company. (McCraw, David) (Entered: 01/24/2019)
01/25/2019		<b>***NOTICE TO ATTORNEY REGARDING CIVIL CASE OPENING STATISTICAL ERROR CORRECTION: Notice to attorney David Edward McCraw. The following case opening statistical information was erroneously selected/entered: County code Albany;. The following correction(s) have been made to your case entry: the County code has been modified to New York;. (jgo)</b> (Entered: 01/25/2019)
01/25/2019		CASE OPENING INITIAL ASSIGNMENT NOTICE: The above-entitled action is assigned to Judge Laura Taylor Swain. Please download and review the Individual Practices of the assigned District Judge, located at <a href="http://nysd.uscourts.gov/judges/District">http://nysd.uscourts.gov/judges/District</a> . Attorneys are responsible for providing courtesy copies to judges where their Individual Practices require such. Please download and review the ECF Rules and Instructions, located at <a href="http://nysd.uscourts.gov/ecf_filing.php">http://nysd.uscourts.gov/ecf_filing.php</a> . (jgo) (Entered: 01/25/2019)
01/25/2019		Magistrate Judge James L. Cott is so designated. Pursuant to 28 U.S.C. Section 636(c) and Fed. R. Civ. P. 73(b)(1) parties are notified that they may consent to proceed before a United States Magistrate Judge. Parties who wish to consent may access the necessary form at the following link: <a href="http://nysd.uscourts.gov/forms.php">http://nysd.uscourts.gov/forms.php</a> . (jgo) (Entered: 01/25/2019)
01/25/2019		Case Designated ECF. (jgo) (Entered: 01/25/2019)
01/25/2019	<u>5</u>	ELECTRONIC SUMMONS ISSUED as to Department of Education. (jgo) (Entered: 01/25/2019)
02/14/2019	<u>6</u>	ORDER OF REFERENCE TO A MAGISTRATE JUDGE: Order that case be referred to the Clerk of Court for assignment to a Magistrate Judge for General Pretrial (includes scheduling, discovery, non-dispositive pretrial motions, and settlement). Referred to Magistrate Judge James L. Cott. SO ORDERED. (Signed by Judge Laura Taylor Swain on 2/14/2019) (ama) (Entered: 02/14/2019)
02/15/2019	<u>7</u>	LETTER MOTION for Extension of Time to File Answer addressed to Judge Laura Taylor Swain from Stephen Cha-Kim dated 02/15/2019. Document filed by Department of Education.(Cha-Kim, Stephen) (Entered: 02/15/2019)
02/19/2019	<u>8</u>	ORDER granting <u>7</u> Letter Motion for Extension of Time to Answer. The Defendant's time to answer the complaint is hereby extended from March 6 to March 21, 2019, on consent. For the future, any pretrial matters should be directed to my attention, as Judge Swain has referred this case to me for general pretrial supervision. (HEREBY ORDERED by Magistrate Judge James L. Cott)(Text Only Order) (Cott, James) (Entered: 02/19/2019)
03/21/2019	<u>9</u>	ANSWER to <u>1</u> Complaint. Document filed by Department of Education.(Hogan, Alexander) (Entered: 03/21/2019)
03/25/2019	<u>10</u>	ORDER FOR CONFERENCE PURSUANT TO RULE 16: The Court shall hold an initial case management conference in accordance with Fed. R. Civ. P. 16(a), on April 16, 2019 at 11 a.m. in Courtroom 21D, United States Courthouse, 500 Pearl Street, New York, New York. All parties must appear at this conference and should arrive prior to the scheduled time so that the conference may begin promptly Initial Conference set for 4/16/2019 at 11:00 AM in Courtroom 21D, 500 Pearl Street, New

		York, NY 10007 before Magistrate Judge James L. Cott. (Signed by Magistrate Judge James L. Cott on 3/25/2019) (js) (Entered: 03/26/2019)
04/09/2019	<u>11</u>	JOINT LETTER addressed to Magistrate Judge James L. Cott from David E. McCraw dated April 9, 2019 re: Initial Case Management Conference. Document filed by Erica Green, The New York Times Company.(McCraw, David) (Entered: 04/09/2019)
04/10/2019	<u>12</u>	NOTICE OF APPEARANCE by Al-Amyn Shiraz Sumar on behalf of Erica Green, The New York Times Company. (Sumar, Al-Amyn) (Entered: 04/10/2019)